
DRAFT RESOLUTION ON THE PALESTINE QUESTION SUBMITTED JOINTLY BY THE
REPRESENTATIVES OF CANADA, FRANCE, THE UNITED KINGDOM, AND
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AT THE 354TH MEETING
OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, 19 AUGUST 1948

THE SECURITY COUNCIL

TAKING into account communications from the Mediator concerning the
situation in Jerusalem

DIRECTS the attention of the governments and authorities concerned to
the Resolution of the Security Council of 15 July 1948, and

DECIDES pursuant to its Resolution of 15 July 1948, and so informs the
governments and authorities concerned, that:

- (a) Each party is responsible for the actions of both regular and
irregular forces operating under its authority or in territory under
its control;
- (b) Each party has the obligation to use all means at its disposal
to prevent action violating the Truce by individuals or groups who are
subject to its authority or who are in territory under its control;
- (c) Each party has the obligation to bring to speedy trial and in case
of conviction to punishment, any and all persons within their
jurisdiction who are involved in a breach of the Truce;
- (d) No party is permitted to violate the Truce on the ground that it is
undertaking reprisals or retaliations against the other party;
- (e) No party is entitled to gain military or political advantage through
violation of the Truce.